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CIA EXPECTED TO LOSE CONTROL OVER BIG-TERM MILITARY OPERATIONS

A film was being shown of a news conference held by Miroslav Nacvalac, accused by the United States of being a Czechoslovakian spy, just before his leaving for Prague.

MIROSLAV NACVALAC: "I am leaving the United States because of the decision has been--of my government, which was necessary due to unprecedented conditions created here by the use of--events in the United Nations."

REPORTER: "The United States Government has charged you with being a master spy for the Czechoslovakian government. Is that true?"

NACVALAC: "I suggest they are fairy tales of Mr. Dulles."

GRAHAM GOLD: "Nacvalac is gone, but we haven't heard the last of it. An official Czech statement issued tonight accuses the United States of violating an agreement with the United Nations in stripping him of his diplomatic immunity. They say that this is the last and most urgent reason for transferring the United Nations to some other country."

"Graham Gold, ABC, New York."

BILL LAWRENCE: "From one spy at least that was an unintended tribute to the Central Intelligence Agency, which certainly has had its trial and tribulations since the disastrous failure of the anti-Castro Cuban invasion."

"Tomorrow, if his health permits, President Kennedy has an off the record appointment to receive the final recommendations of a committee headed by General Maxwell Taylor that has been studying the role of CIA and other governmental agencies in the Cuban fiasco."

"Because of its highly secret nature, this report never will be made public. But Washington tonight expects at least these results."

"General Taylor will become a White House coordinator for military intelligence activities. The CIA will lose control over big-term military operations, like the Cuban invasion, passing these activities to the Pentagon."